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LOCAL PERSONAL NEWS

Theodore Fouty was in Toledo last Friday.

Mrs. Davis Johnson spent last Friday in Toledo.

Mrs. S. O. Rowe was in Toledo Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Earle Hill and Mrs. G. W. Voller, and Miss Frieda Vollmer spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Orlie Houston in Napoleon.

The Rev. J. A. Wharton has accepted a call from a Christian church near Pittsburgh, Pa., and will move his family and take up his new work about the middle of May.

Mr. Glenn Sparks and Miss Eva Johnson of Morenci, Mich., were joined in marriage Wednesday morning by the Rev. C. F. Evans at the Christian church parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schlatter and Miss Olive, and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Howard and Miss Margaret enjoyed supper with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Poorman and family Friday evening.

The fire department was called out early Monday morning by a small fire in the living rooms of Henry De Rosa, over the fruit store. The fire started from a gas burner. Small damage resulted.

Inspection of Wauseon Temple, which was to have taken place Wednesday evening, was postponed indefinitely on account of the death of Hon. J. Q. Piles, father of the Most Excellent Chief of the Temple.

S. B. Overmeyer has rented the Thos. Fashbaugh blacksmith shop on North Fulton street, where he began work last Monday morning. This is "Cy's" first move in 18 years, having worked for that length of time in the Chestnut street shop.

The Sunshine Makers' club gave Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Coon a pleasant surprise Wednesday evening of last week by entering the house with well filled baskets to remind them that although they are leaving Wauseon, we shall not forget them.

A couple of foreign looking strangers were in Wauseon last Thursday attempting to pass a \$20 bill in payment for a trivial purchase. They did not succeed in "stringing" any one, but were successful in eluding Sheriff Boone and Deputy McQuillin.

The Geiger-Jones company has instructed its salesmen to cease presenting sales of stocks and bonds under the direction of that firm and devote their time and energies to assisting in the sale of Third Liberty Loan Bonds. W. Ackerman, their local representative, is following instructions.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wager, and Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Dershem in Adrian, Mich., last Sunday. Mrs. Dershem was a sister of Mr. Bay and was well known in Wauseon. She died Friday morning of heart failure.

Mrs. Clara G. Kurtz, a former resident of Wauseon, died at her home in Philadelphia last Friday. Mrs. Kurtz was a sister of Hon. A. B. Canfield of Toledo; she also had a number of other relatives and friends in Wauseon and vicinity, who will be sorry to learn of her demise. Mr. Canfield attended the funeral.

The following helped C. P. Greiser celebrate his birthday last Friday evening by gathering at his home for a "pot luck": Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fraker, and W. C. Hoch, of Delta; O. S. Shepley, of E. A. Barber and family, Mrs. A. Barber and daughter, John Ruppert and family, Elmer Bourquin and family, and Miss Phena Flory.

Mr. W. D. Van Rensselaer has purchased from J. W. Pugh the house on Superior street formerly owned and occupied by the late S. Fouty. Mr. and Mrs. Van Rensselaer will renovate the place and fit it for a home; their many friends in Wauseon are delighted at the prospect.

Mrs. Van Rensselaer being again permanently located in Wauseon.

Clarence Rossman is again a member of the sales staff in the Harrison & Funkhouser Brothers' clothing store. Clyde Pettit, the new manager, is conducting the business with all the assurance of a man who is thoroughly acquainted with his job, likes it, and will pilot the ship of business safely for all concerned.

Through these war times Mr. Pettit's genial and straightforward manner wins him many warm friends.

George Vollmer was in Toledo Wednesday to be present during a very serious surgical operation upon his son, Dr. Carl, at St. Vincent's hospital. The operation is reported successful and it is hoped by Dr. Vollmer that he will now rapidly recover. Mr. Vollmer also called on Miss Grace Bayes, who is convalescing in the same hospital; she is getting along nicely and hopes to be home in a few days.

JOHN PIG-RAISING ARMY

A large number of boys in Fulton county are going to help win the war and answer Uncle Sam's call for increased pork production by joining the pig-raising army. This is in charge of Uncle Sam himself, in cooperation with the Ohio State University and the county school system.

Judging from the state-wide results last year, the boys are going to win any prizes or not—and a number of prizes are offered. Last year 339 of the boys raised about \$45,000 worth of pork. Arthur Hansel of Colina made \$18.81 above the original cost and the feed of his pig. The pig gained an average of 2.03 pounds a day for 85 days, at a cost of 7.3 cents a pound. Many of the other boys' pigs did nearly as well.

As a special inducement to enroll in the army of pig raisers, the Fulton County Agricultural Society is offering trips to Columbus to be given during Farmers' Week at the Ohio State University. A special educational and sightseeing program is arranged annually for the hundreds of visitors.

Each boy who enters will be sent a series of bulletins on pig raising that has been prepared for this work by specialists. A representative sent by Uncle Sam and the co-operators will also visit each boy during the summer.

Any boy in the county between the ages of 10 and 18 may join. Applications for entry may be made to Nellie A. Logan of Wauseon, county leader of Boys' and Girls' Club work; or W. H. Palmer, Ohio State University, Columbus.

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ALLIES DEMAND MORE CEREALS

American Meat Restrictions Relaxed to Effect Greater Wheat Savings.

ARGENTINE ARRIVALS SHORT.

Meat Supply Here Considerably Enlarged — Food Administration, However, Warns Against Waste.

The allies have made further and increased demands for breadstuffs, to some degree by shortening arrivals from the Argentine. It is, therefore, necessary for the U. S. Food Administration to urge a still further reduction in the consumption of bread and breadstuffs generally if we are to meet our export necessities. The Food Administration has issued statements explaining the situation in detail, particularly the reasons which lead it, for the purpose of centering effort for the time being upon the cereal situation to relax temporarily the restrictions on meat consumption.

Experience shows, this statement says, that the consumption of breadstuffs is intimately associated with the consumption of meat. For various reasons our supplies of meat for the next two or three months are considerably enlarged, and we can supply the allies with all of the meat products which transportation facilities render possible and at the same time somewhat increase our own consumption.

In these circumstances the Food Administration considers it wise to relax the voluntary restrictions on meat consumption to some extent with a view to further decreasing bread consumption.

Conservation of food must be adjusted to meet necessities from time to time, for neither production, nor allied demands are constant factors, nor can any of these factors be anticipated for long periods in advance in the disturbed conditions in which we are presently living. While the world situation is not one that warrants any relaxation in the efforts to eliminate waste or to relax economy in food, the Administration does believe a better adjustment in food balances.

So long as the present conditions continue the only special restrictions we ask are the needless and porkiness Tuesday.

The meatless meal and the porkless Saturday are no longer asked.

The farmers of the United States are responding to the national call to increase hog production. Their increase, to all appearances, is being attained more rapidly. Of more immediate importance, however, are several complex factors which have effected an immediate increase in meat supplies.

The transportation shortage before the government took over the railroads, the bad weather in January and early in February, the large percentage of immature corn in the last harvest and the necessity of feeding this corn as rapidly as possible to save it from decay, have not only retarded but backing up the animals—particularly hogs—on the farms for a longer period of feeding, but have resulted in a great increase in their average weight and will result, with improved transportation conditions, which already appear, in larger than normal arrivals at the market for the next two or three months. The weight of hogs coming to the market for the past two weeks indicates an increase in weight of from an average of 203 pounds last year to the almost unprecedented average of 232 pounds, or a net increase in their meat value of over 15 per cent. This is a distinct addition to the national supply, which already appears, in larger than normal arrivals at the market for the next two or three months.

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The response of the public to our requests for reduced consumption of meat during the past few months has been most gratifying, and this service alone has enabled the government during this period to provide such supplies as transportation to the allies permitted.

The Administration also suggests that in those parts of the country where the old fashioned home preservation of pork is still the custom, this practice should be extended at the present time, as it will relieve the burden upon the government to find and pack the hogs and is economically sound as saving the cost of packing operations and at the same time will provide home supplies of pork to last over the months of decreased supplies.

The Food Administration desires to repeat that it does not want to give the impression that these are times when simplicity and moderation of living are not critically necessary, but that its sole desire is to secure an adjustment between our different food supplies and meet changing conditions from time to time and to keep the public fully and frankly advised of its position with the full confidence and reliance that whenever it becomes necessary renewed appeals for saving will meet the same loyal response as in the past.

CHEESE IS CHEAP FOOD

Cottage cheese is one food advocated for more general use in these days of food scarcity and high prices. It provides a large quantity of nutriment at a low cost, compared with many foods on the market today.

Analyses of cottage cheese made at the Ohio Experiment Station show that a pound contains a little more protein, or growth-producing nutriment, than an equal weight of medium fat round beefsteak; all myfium fat round steak. Round steak has a higher energy value. From both standpoints about 20 ounces of cottage cheese is considered equal to a pound of round steak. Cottage cheese can be profitably made at 15 cents a pound, the Experiment Station dairymen say.

Some Good Advice

"Don't think too much of your own methods. Watch other people's ways and learn from them." This is good advice, especially when bilious or constipated. You will find many people who use Chamberlain's Tablets for these ailments with the best results, and will do well to follow their example.

PRINCES PARAMOUNT

WEEKLY PROGRAM

Open 6:45 Daily. Sunday 6:30

FRIDAY, APRIL TWELFTH

SPECIAL ATTRACTION

CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG IN "THE COMMON LAW"

OPEN 6:30 10-20c

SATURDAY, APRIL THIRTEENTH

VICTOR MOORE IN "THE RACE"

EXTRA BRAY PICTOGRAPH

SUNDAY, APRIL FOURTEENTH

CLARA WILLIAMS IN "THREE OF MANY"

AMBROSE RAPID RISE KOMODY

TUESDAY, APRIL FIFTEENTH

MARGUERITE CLARK IN "SILKS AND SATINS"

ALSO A GOOD KOMODY

WEDNESDAY, APRIL SIXTEENTH

EPISODE NO. 7 "THE FATAL RING"

Serial 8 "THE SEVEN PEARLS"

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THURSDAY, APR. SEVENTEENTH

CHARLES RAY IN "THE CLOD HOPPER"

ALSO TRIANGLE KOMODY

COMING NORMA TALMADGE IN "POPPY" 8 ACTS

OPEN 6:30—FIRST SHOW, 7 P. M.

WHEAT SAVING STIMULATED

The customary premiums offered for bread, pies, cakes, and pastries will be materially changed by the Ohio State Fair this year. Complying with a request sent out by the U. S. Food Administration, prizes will be offered on products made from war recipes which use a minimum of wheat flour. A large appropriation has been given to the Woman's department of the State Fair for the express purpose of stimulating wheat saving measures.

All of the County fairs in Ohio have been asked to co-operate in this movement since it is believed that a noticeable pool will result. Housewives should obtain a copy of the premium list from their county fair and from the state fair to get acquainted with the "War Bread Liberty Bonds."

I now have my 1918 models of buggies in stock.

50-8-c CHAS. F. STOTZER.

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GRANGE MASTER INDORSES BONDS

Urges Ohio Farmers to Prepare for the Next Liberty Loan Drive

GRANGE SURPLUS ALL INVESTED

Nation's Securities Best Investment on Earth. Farmers Should Prove Patriotic by Buying.

Barnesville, O.—(Special)—Louis J. Taber, master of the Ohio State Grange, urges that the coming Liberty Loan drive be made the subject of special discussion and consideration in the Washington-Lincoln-Liberty meetings now being held in the various sub-granges throughout the state. Mr. Taber favors a big farmer investment next drive.

"No next Liberty Loan campaign," he says, "will afford the Grange an exceptional opportunity to serve patriotic not only our order, but agriculture, the country and civilization at large. The motto of the state grange is 'A bond in every farm home in Ohio.' The state organization has invested every penny of its surplus in Liberty Bonds. Sub-granges should follow its example."

"Nor should we stop there. Every patriot and every farmer should be reached. For there is not a farmer in Ohio but can afford to buy at least one Liberty Bond on the very easy terms offered. Every one should hold at least one bond. The farmer was not a heavy purchaser in either of the earlier drives. There were reasons justifying this condition then, but there is no adequate excuse for his failure to purchase now."

"No class of men have been more criticized than the farmers, however unjust this criticism may have been. They will soon have an opportunity to refute these charges, and I am confident they will maintain the traditions of their patriotic forefathers by coming nobly to the financial rescue of their country. There is no better or safer investment on earth than a Liberty Bond."

I now have in my warerooms 4 carloads of buggies for the spring trade. These are up to date in style and quality. Call and see me. I positively will not be undersold.

50-8-c CHAS. F. STOTZER.

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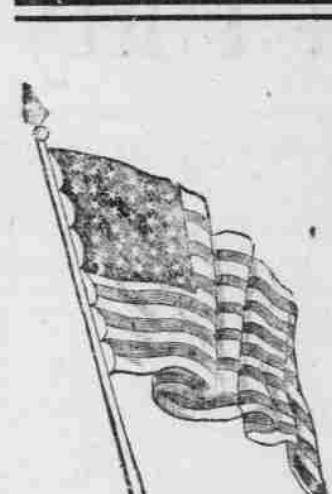
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THE descendants of the patriots of Washington and Paul Jones are fighting side by side with the descendants of the patriots of Lafayette and Rochambeau. The time and opportunity have come for a nation to pay a great debt of gratitude for service rendered in great national need and America is paying France the debt she has long owed.

In the Revolutionary war for the freedom of America the French fought on American soil under the command of an American. Today in the war for the freedom of France and for the preservation of liberty to America, and indeed to all the world, Americans fight on French soil under the supreme command of a Frenchman. The honors are even and the honors are great.

No true American who knows the history of his country and loves the honor of his country but thrills at the thought of the American army in France. The invincible Americans will turn the tide of war; they will bring to France and her allies a victory for liberty such as France assisted us to win, and repay with interest a debt to liberty and to France long owing and honorably acknowledged.

A THRIFT LOAN IS NOT A GIFT.

When you buy a War Savings Stamp what you do is to forego for the present the use of the money it costs. That money comes back to you in five years with interest at 4 per cent, compounded quarterly. You do not give your money away; you simply place it at the disposal of your government in an hour of need. And, remember, these stamps when attached to a War Savings Certificate are practically like the bonds of biggest denomination—they are secured by the whole resources of the United States. There is no safer security in the world.

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THE TUESDAY CLUB

April Sixteenth

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